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 For: TREATMENT OF B CELL )  
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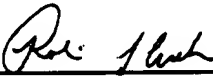
Applicants' representative today had contacted a person in the Licensing and Review Branch of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, and informed them that applicants have received two letters from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, dated February 29, 2000 and May 9, 2000, requiring compliance with the Atomic Energy Act. Applicants' representative further advised, that they had timely responded to the initial letter for which a response was due on April 14, 2000. Based thereon, applicants' representative was requested to resubmit a copy of the statement via facsimile along with a copy of the postcard. Moreover, applicants were advised that it would not be then necessary to respond to the May 9, 2000 letter, upon proof of the earlier submission.

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Therefore, this should constitute a complete response to the May 9, 2000 letter.

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In response to the Notice mailed February 29, 2000, Paper No. 4, requiring a Statement in the form of a Declaration as provided by 37 C.F.R. §1.68, transmitted herewith is a Declaration Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.68 signed by the inventors.

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